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Transmitted herewith for filing is the continuing patent application of:

Inventor(s): Hannigan et al.

For: **PERCEPTUAL MODELING OF MEDIA SIGNALS BASED ON LOCAL CONTRAST AND
DIRECTIONAL EDGES**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 26 pages of specification, 5 pages of claims, an abstract and 2 pages of Application Data Sheet.
- ☒ 6 sheet(s) of drawings.
- ☒ Oath or Declaration (unsigned).

Continuing Application

- ☒ Continuation
 - ☐ Divisional
 - ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
- Prior Application Number 09/737,609
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For	Claims filed	FILING FEE		Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
		Number Allotted	=			\$770.00
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- ☒ The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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